

ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE

MEMORANDUM

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February 2006 TAX FACTS

SUMMARY OF GENERAL FUND REVENUES

		Fiscal Year
	February 2006	<u>Total</u>
Individual Income Tax		
Net Collections	\$ 70,085,595	\$1,968,084,823
Percent Change	8.6%	25.4%
Corporate Income Tax		
Net Collections	\$ 2,408,160	\$ 443,918,095
Percent Change	(63.1)	19.5%
Transaction Privilege,		
Severance & Use Taxes		
Net Collections	\$ 330,582,460	\$2,796,923,976
Change	16.8%	17.2%
Total Big Three Tax Types		
Net Collections	\$ 403,076,215	\$5,208,926,894
Percent Change	13.9%	20.2%

January 2004 was the first month that the department used a new computer system to process transaction privilege tax and withholding. Some of the reports necessary to provide Tax Facts information are still under development. Those sections have been pulled from this report. Once the information is available, it will be distributed.

TAX FACTS February 2006

INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX

Individual Income Tax Receipts

	February 2006	February 2005	% Change
Gross Collections	\$ 18,041,261	\$ 12,489,817	44.4
Withholding	\$ 269,407,378	\$ 239,830,618	12.3
Refunds	\$ (181,927,301)	\$ (156,680,643)	16.1
Urban Revenue Sharing	\$ (35,435,744)	\$ (31,089,382)	14.0
Net Collections	\$ 70,085,595	\$ 64,550,411	8.6

	Fi	scal Year Total (05/06)	Fis	cal Year Total (04/05)	% Change
Gross Collections	\$	531,731,000	\$	363,034,118	46.5
Withholding	\$	2,010,223,811	\$	1,708,582,774	17.7
Refunds	\$	(290,384,038)	\$	(253,260,393)	14.7
Urban Revenue Sharing	\$	(283,485,951)	\$	(248,715,052)	14.0
Net Collections	\$	1,968,084,823	\$	1,569,641,447	25.4

Included in the refund amounts above are refunds relating to the alternative fuel vehicle (AFV) income tax credit. In February 2006, the Department did not issue any individual or corporate income tax refunds for alternative fuel-related credits.

Ladewig Refunds

In February 2006, the department issued 281 warrants totaling \$177,400 for Ladewig, a Superior Court tax settlement case. For the fiscal year, 307,948 refunds have been issue for a total of \$43,427,716. Attorney payments are not included in the refund amount and total \$\$4,853,277 for the fiscal year. Refunds issued as a result of the Ladewig case are not included in the total refunds listed in the "Individual Income Tax Receipts" section above or the "Average Individual Income Tax Refund" section later mentioned in this publication.

Individual Income Tax Document Count

In calendar year 2004, the following individual income tax returns were filed:

	140X	140	140NR	140PY	140NPR	141 & 141AZ	140A	140PTC	140EZ	140ET	OTHER	TOTAL
#	44,106	1,575,957	88,795	102,431	3	44,198	297,353	13,315	197,269	2,625	13	2,368,223
%	1.8	66.5	3.7	4.3	0.0	1.9	12.6	0.6	8.3	0.1	0.0	

In calendar year 2006 the number of returns filed, and processed, are as follows:

_	140X	140	140NR	140PY	140NPR	141 & 141AZ	140A	140PTC	140EZ	140ET	OTHER	TOTAL
#	3,403	359,861	10,856	22,012	0	1,283	151,879	3,949	45,586	917	1	599,747
%	0.6%	60.0%	1.8%	3.7%	0.0%	0.2%	25.3%	0.7%	7.6%	0.2%	0.0%	

The 599,747 returns, representing current and prior tax years, filed through February 2006 compares to 125,882 returns filed during the same period of time in 2004 for an annual decrease of 46.7%. For tax year 2004 filed in 2005, 60,467 returns have been filed, a 48.7% decrease over filings in February 2004 for tax year 2003.

Year-Over-Year Comparison of Resident Taxpayers

Comparisons of Federal Adjusted Gross Income (FAGI) and tax liability growth between two tax years can be made by using data from taxpayers who have filed for both calendar years and have maintained the same filing status for both years. The Department of Revenue has received 508,187 returns in calendar year 2006 for tax year 2004 from filers who also have returns on record from calendar year 2004 with the same marital status. On average, these filers experienced a 5.8% increase in FAGI and a 4.9% increase in tax liability. More specifically, 34.9% of these filers experienced a decrease in tax liability; on average a decrease of 12.8% with a corresponding average decrease in FAGI of 28.8%. Filers with an increase in tax liability totaled 253,581or 49.9% with an average FAGI increase of 21.5% and an average tax liability increase of 35.8%.

Average Individual Income Tax Refund

Net of Ladewig refunds.

	Average	Number
2006 CYTD	\$ 477	437,941
2005 CYTD	\$ 416	442,926
% Change	14.8	(1.1)

"New" Filers in Calendar Year 2006

Table 1 attached to this report, presents the number of "new" returns filed in calendar year 2006. "New" returns are for those filers who did not file in the previous calendar year. Therefore, these filers could be new full-year residents of Arizona, or they may be newly required to file an individual income tax return. (The filer may not have earned enough income in the previous year to file, such as a recent graduate just entering the work force.) The table indicates that 69,744 "new" returns have been filed thus far in 2006, representing approximately 81,889 persons, not including dependents. The average Federal Adjusted Gross Income is \$16,721 with an average tax liability of \$185. The right half of this table presents characteristics of the filers represented on the returns. Of all "new" returns, 14.6% had a married filing joint filing status, 3.3% claimed a 65 and Over Exemption and 53.7% claimed dependents.

Individual Income Tax Estimated Payments

Taxpayers are required to make estimated payments if their Arizona gross income will exceed \$75,000, in an amount which will represent unpaid tax liability at the end of the taxpayer's tax year. Total estimated payments paid with form 140ES tax year 2004 was \$402.6 million, for an average of \$2,108. An additional \$75.5 million in estimated payments came from 2003 tax returns that applied their refunds as a 2004 estimated payment, for an average of \$1,850. Estimated payments received through February 2006 for tax year 2005 are as follows:

02/06 02/05	140ES payment 140ES payment % change	\$ \$	6,076,722 16,827,469 (63.9)	Cumulative Cumulative	\$ 569,847,588 387,020,034 47.2
02/06	Average payment	\$	3,492	Cumulative	\$ 2,676
02/05	Average payment	\$	1,930	Cumulative	\$ 2,057
	% change		80.9		30.1
02/06	Applied refund	\$	204,433	Cumulative	\$ 93,467,122
02/05	Applied refund	\$	271,904	Cumulative	\$ 73,703,726
	% change		(24.8)		26.8
Total 02/06		\$	6,281,155	Cumulative	\$ 663,314,710
Total 02/05		\$	17,099,373	Cumulative	\$ 460,723,760
	% change		(63.3)		44.0

Withholding

Withholding payments are received from employers and applied towards a specific quarter for the designated year. Information is gathered for 15 months for any given quarter. For example, from January 2004 through March 2005, \$592,987,493 was received for the first quarter of 2004. The latest complete quarter (15 months of information has been compiled) is the fourth quarter of 2004, which shows an increase of 10.7% in withholding payments over the third quarter of 2003. Growth in quarters for which information is still being gathered is as follows:

1 st Quarter 2005	10.3%	3 rd Quarter 2005	28.2 %
2 nd Quarter 2005	7.1%	4 th Quarter 2005	18.1%
		1 st Quarter 2006	52.8%

As of January 1, 2005, the current choices for withholding are 0%, 10%, 19%, 23%, 25%, 31% or 37% as the percent of federal taxes to be withheld for state taxes. The 0% option is only available to those individuals who had no liability in the prior tax year and expect no tax liability for the current year.

Property Tax Credits

Arizona allows a refundable property tax credit for those who are age 65 or older or who received Title 16, SSI payments and pay property tax on a home. To qualify for this credit, household income must be below \$3,751 for individuals that live alone, or \$5,501 for those that live with others. The maximum credit is \$502.

_	Number	Amount	Δ	verage	
Calendar Year 2006	3,392	\$ 1,338,387	\$	395	
Calendar Year 2005	4,599	\$ 1,732,162	\$	377	
% Change	(26.2)	(22.7)		4.8	

Clean Elections

As a result of the December 1998 voter approval of the Citizens Clean Elections, Arizona's income taxpayers can make a donation to the Citizens Clean Elections Commission through an income tax check-off or through a voluntary donation. The following is for tax year 2006:

	February 2006	Calendar Year Total
Check Off	\$844,645	\$915,193
Voluntary Donation	\$6,833	\$7,245
Number of Returns	124,272	135.838

Contributions on the Individual Income Tax Return

Through February 2006, individual income tax return filers have made the following contributions:

_	Number	Amount	F	verage
Wildlife	2,206	\$ 38,869	\$	17.62
Child Abuse	2,708	\$ 51,263	\$	18.93
Special Olympics	1,171	\$ 19,073	\$	16.29
Neighbors Helping	651	\$ 8,314	\$	12.77
AID to Education	149	\$ 10,293	\$	69.08
Domestic Violence Shelter	1,831	\$ 34,836	\$	19.03
Democratic Party	221	\$ 5,054	\$	22.87
Republican Party	172	\$ 3,436	\$	19.98
Libertarian Party	19	\$ 332	\$	17.47

CORPORATE INCOME TAX

Corporate Income Tax Receipts

	Feb 2006	Feb 2005	% Change
Gross Collections	\$29,206,362	\$18,432,601	58.4
Refunds	(\$26,798,202)	(\$11,908,414)	125.0
Net Collections	\$2,408,160	\$6,524,188	(63.1)
	Fiscal Year Total	Prior Fiscal Year Total	% Change
Gross Collections	Fiscal Year Total \$517,762,684	Prior Fiscal Year Total \$430,170,689	% Change 20.4
Gross Collections Refunds			

Corporate Estimated Payments

Corporations are required to file estimated tax payments throughout the year only if (1) their Arizona tax liability exceeds \$1,000 and (2) they are required to file federal estimated tax payments.

Feb 2006	\$16,440,236	Calendar Year Total	\$41,582,438
Feb 2005	\$11,053,122	Calendar Year Total	\$32,936,262
% Change	48.7%	% Change	26.3%

All corporations with an income tax liability of \$20,000 or greater are required to make their estimated tax payments through electronic funds transfer (eft). The table below shows the number of these eft estimated payments, by size of payment, for February 2006 and for the calendar year.

Size of Payment →	Less than \$50,000	\$50,000 up to \$100,000	\$100,000 up to \$500,000	\$500,000 up to \$1,000,000	\$1,000,000 up to \$10,000,000	\$10,000,000 and more	Total	% chg
Feb 2006	59	14	17	1	3	0	94	(14.6)
Feb 2005	87	11	9	1	2	0	110	
CY 2006	196	35	38	6	6	0	281	(5.4)
CY 2005	231	30	24	5	7	0	297	

The next table shows the dollars of eft estimated payments received from those counts above.

Size of	Less than	\$50,000 up	\$100,000 up	\$500,000 up	\$1,000,000	Total	% chg
Payment ->	\$50,000	to \$100,000	to \$500,000	to \$1,000,000	and more		
Feb 2006	\$800,112	\$881,335	\$3,090,272	\$322,750	\$8,178,000	\$13,272,469	40.3%
Feb 2005	\$1,022,212	\$758,400	\$1,938,500	\$631,000	\$5,110,000	\$9,460,112	
CY 2006	\$2,592,784	\$2,402,487	\$7,770,272	\$4,339,750	\$18,779,905	\$35,885,198	20.5%
CY 2005	\$2,641,088	\$2,095,860	\$5,542,030	\$3,056,000	\$16,445,449	\$29,780,427	

Corporate Refunds

Corporate refunds paid in any state fiscal year are for a mixture of corporate fiscal years. The table below presents the percent of refunds paid in FY 04/05 by corporate fiscal year. For example, in FY 04/05, 18.1% of the refund dollars paid were for corporate fiscal years ending in 2000 or before. The percentages are for refunds paid through the fiscal year.

Corporate Fiscal Year-End:	00 & Prior	01	02	03	04	05	
FY 04/05	18.1%	14.7%	3.3%	44.0%	19.4%	0.5%	
Corporate Fiscal Year-End:	01 & Prior	02	03	04	05	06	
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FY 05/06	17.4%	3.3%	4.1%	65.7%	9.5%	0.1%	

Corporate Refunds

The corporate refunds shown above are those refunds for which a check is mailed to the corporation. Sometimes corporations choose to apply their refund as an estimated payment. The following table presents refunds applied as estimated payments in the most recent month and for the calendar year

Feb 2006	\$64,522,694	Calendar Year Total	\$80,766,094
Feb 2005	\$8,572,824	Calendar Year Total	\$11,381,217
% Change	652.6%	% Change	609.6%

Corporate Income Tax Document Count

The Arizona Department of Revenue received 112,597 corporate returns showing a fiscal year-end of 2004. The type of return received is indicated below:

	120 X	120 (regular)	120S (S corp)	99T (exempt	120 A (short form)
	(amended)			org.)	
#	274	35,862	64,351	379	11,731
%	0.2	31.8	57.2	0.3	10.4

Through February, 2006, 13,547 documents were received for a fiscal year-end of 2005, distributed as follows:

	120 X	120 (regular)	120S (S corp)	99T (exempt	120 A (short form)
	(amended)			org.)	
#	29	8,416	2,603	96	2,403
%	0.2	62.1	19.2	0.7	17.7

The figures for the 2005 returns are most meaningful when compared to 2004 returns received during the same period of time in the previous year. Through February 2005, the Department of Revenue received 10,599 documents with a fiscal year-end of 2004. Compared to 2004 documents, the Department has seen a 27.8% increase in the number of corporate returns received at this point of time in the calendar year.

Urban Revenue Sharing Returned to Cities/Towns

Incorporated cities and towns receive a share of net individual and corporate income tax collections, called Urban Revenue Sharing. The amount of money to be distributed during Fiscal Year 2005/06 is 15.0% of net proceeds from Fiscal Year 2003/04 income tax. Amounts returned for February 2006 are shown on Table 2, at the end of this report.

TRANSACTION PRIVILEGE, SEVERANCE AND USE TAXES

Transaction Privilege, Severance and Use Tax Receipts

The Arizona transaction privilege and severance tax consists of many classifications of tax. These classifications include but are not limited to retail, contracting, amusements, restaurants and bars, hotel/motel and mining severance tax. The collections for all such categories are divided, per statute, into two parts. One part is called distribution base; the other part is known as non-shared. The division of collections into these two parts varies from category to category. For example, retail sales tax is 40% distribution base and 60% non-shared. In contrast, contracting is 20% distribution base and 80% non-shared. Use tax is 100% non-shared.

Transaction Privilege, Severance and Use Tax Receipts (continued)

At the close of each month, transaction privilege and severance tax collections are aggregated by category and total distribution base and non-shared portions are calculated. The amount shown as "Use Tax" in the table below includes use tax, use inventory tax and jet fuel use tax. Education tax is in accordance with Proposition 301 resulting in an additional 0.6% education tax being added to most business classifications. The "Other Revenue" category includes county excise, road, jail and hospital taxes and various other excise taxes, such as the 911 excise tax.

	February 2006	February 2005	% change
Distribution Base	\$135,442,823	\$116,838,320	15.9
Non shared	257,718,232	220,874,250	16.7
Use Tax	26,149,998	21,758,390	20.2
Education Tax	48,875,062	41,390,015	18.1
Other Revenues	56,817,651	49,268,926	15.3
Total Collections	\$525,003,766	\$450,129,901	16.6
	Fiscal Year Total (05/06)	Fiscal Year Total (04/05)	% change
Distribution Base	\$1,133,847,946	\$974,948,099	16.3
Non shared	2,192,912,886	1,876,293,371	16.9
Use Tax	212,946,933	174,776,579	21.8
Education Tax	44.4.500.467	353,149,129	17.4
	414,500,167	333,149,129	17.7
Other Revenues	474,434,789	406,929,698	16.6

<u>Distribution of Transaction Privilege, Severance and Use Tax Receipts</u>

Of the distribution base portion of transaction privilege and severance taxes, described above, 25% is returned to incorporated cities/towns, 40.51% is returned to counties and 34.49% goes to the state general fund with the exception of mining severance tax. All of the non-shared revenue and use tax is deposited into the general fund. Therefore, the "Retained By State" figure presented below includes all non-shared portion of transaction privilege tax, use tax and 34.49% of the distribution base collections. The education tax is distributed in accordance with Proposition 301. "Other" revenues are returned to the administering authority.

	February 2006	February 2005	% change
Retained by State	\$330,582,460	\$282,930,176	16.8
Returned to Counties	54,867,888	47,331,203	15.9
Returned to Cities	33,860,706	29,209,580	15.9
Education Tax	48,875,062	41,390,015	18.1
Other Revenues	56,817,651	49,268,926	15.3
Total Collections	\$525,003,766	\$450,129,901	16.6
	Fiscal Year Total (05/06)	Fiscal Year Total (04/05)	% change
Retained by State	\$2,796,923,976	\$2,387,329,550	17.2
Returned to Counties	459,321,803	394,951,475	16.3
Returned to Cities	283,461,987	243,737,025	16.3
Education Tax	414,500,167	353,149,129	17.4
Other Revenues	474,434,789	406,929,698	16.6
Total Collections			

Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Collections By Class

			Fiscal Year		
	Tax Rate	February 2006	% Chg	Total	% Chg
Transporting	5.6	\$147,043	14.6	1,884,766	4.5
Non-Metal Mining Oil/Gas	3.125%	594,247	(16.2)	7,626,399	22.1
Utilities	5.6%	29,397,936	8.4	272,414,094	11.7
Communications	5.6%	12,031,874	(1.1)	103,004,257	5.9
Private Car/Pipelines	5.6%	88,643	(1.7)	1,008,717	110.3
Publishing	5.6%	453,239	(1.9)	4,609,577	4.3
Job Printing	5.6%	1,752,299	17.9	13,068,734	10.0
Restaurants & Bars	5.6%	37,809,983	13.9	282,960,610	13.3
Amusements	5.6%	4,206,842	15.2	29,153,582	11.3
Commercial Lease	0%	15	N/A	N/A	N/A
Rental of Personal Property	5.6%	14,849,765	18.2	116,898,548	10.2
Contracting	3.75% - 5.6%	75,550,251	33.9	655,768,739	27.4
Feed Wholesale	Repealed	0	0	0	0
Retail	5.6%	201,638,591	14.0	1,744,971,554	15.4
Mining Severance	2.5%	2,450,317	72.4	17,539,306	77.2
Timber Severance	\$2.13/\$1.51 per 1000 board ft	990	78.2	15,319	146.9
Hotel/Motel	5.5%	11,352,100	11.0	70,657,290	13.0
Membership Camping	5.6%	22,032	(4.4)	100,663	(2.7)
Use Tax	5.6%	26,149,998	20.2	212,946,933	21.8
Rental Occupancy Tax	3.0%	7,356	(39.0)	85,416	413.4
Jet Fuel		791,605	31.5	4,036,504	32.8
Jet Fuel Use Tax	\$.0305/\$.0105 gal	60,263	(87.6)	207,658	(68.7)
Telecommunications Devices	1.1				
Telecomm		303,761	(12.1)	2,316,592	(19.1)
School for the Deaf and Blind		71,473	(38.9)	633,387	(34.5)
Poison Control		111,677	22.1	763,379	0.9
Teratogen Funding		4,467	(12.1)	34,118	(6.7)
911 Wireline	\$0.37/month per active service	1,178,015	3.3	9,192,019	(1.0)
911 Wireless	\$0.37/month per active service	1,035,346	(7.4)	8,413,904	(2.5)
Total		\$422,060,126	16.5	3,560,308,443	16.8

The Use/Use Inventory category shown on the previous page includes jet fuel use tax. These collections include only the individual classes of transaction privilege tax, severance tax and use tax. The total does not include license fees or any other fees collected by the department.

Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Taxable Sales By Class¹

<u></u>	February 2006	% Chg	Fiscal Year Total	% Chg
Transporting	\$2,946,982	14.8	\$37,809,513	4.6
Non-Metal Mining Oil/Gas	19,057,686	(16.0)	244,750,693	22.4
Utilities	588,873,771	8.6%	5,464,927,095	12.0
Communications	241,001,482	(1.0)	2,066,120,315	6.1
Private Car/Pipelines	1,774,446	(1.6)	20,230,852	110.8
Publishing	9,077,665	(1.8)	92,478,883	4.6
Job Printing	35,089,923	18.1	262,107,125	10.3
Restaurants & Bars	757,180,918	14.1	5,675,209,783	13.6
Amusements	84,232,053	15.3	584,616,218	11.6
Commercial Lease	472	N/A	N/A	N/A
Rental of Personal Property	297,422,162	18.4	2,344,725,667	10.5
Contracting	1,518,367,405	34.1	13,218,538,444	27.7

¹These Taxable Sales figures are calculated on a per return basis, by taking collections and dividing them by the appropriate tax rate. These figures may not match other Taxable Sales figures calculated on the aggregate.

Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Taxable Sales By Class¹ continued

	February 2006	% Chg	Fiscal Year Total	% Chg
Feed Wholesale	0	0.0	0	0.0
Retail	4,038,755,422	14.1	34,999,486,573	15.7
Mining Severance	98,125,770	72.6	703,385,629	77.7
Timber Severance	465	98.3	7,987	163.5
Hotel/Motel	206,646,358	11.2	1,288,400,695	13.3
Membership Camping	440,807	(4.4)	2,016,125	(2.6)
Use Tax	524,486,806	20.4	4,279,536,808	21.9
Rental Occupancy Tax	248,565	(38.2)	2,858,420	413.7
Total	\$8,423,729,158	17.2	\$71,287,085,630	17.4

Telecommunications Devices, 911 Excise and 911 Wireless Service classifications previously listed in the collections table are not elements of calculated taxable income and therefore, are not included in the above table. Since the jet fuel use tax is a gallonage tax, this too can not be computed as taxable income. Timber Severance includes only sales subject to a repealed rate. The current tax is per board feet upon which taxable income cannot be computed.

Accounting Credit

A credit equal to one percent of the amount of tax due, up to \$10,000 per calendar year, is allowed to businesses for expenses incurred during the accounting and reporting of Transaction Privilege Tax. Due to our new processing system, the report needed to provide this data is not available.

Taxable Sales by SIC Code Range

The taxable sales by SIC (Standard Industrial Classification) code range is undergoing a conversion to NAICS codes. The information since January 2004 is not yet available. Once it is available, it will be sent under separate cover.

Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Returned to Counties

Taxpayers reported the following taxable transactions and tax collections by county. The share of the revenues returned to each county for February 2006 is shown in the County Share column.

_	County Share	% of Total	FYTD County Share	% Change
Apache	\$404,371	0.7	\$3,459,564	17.0
Cochise	935,248	1.7	9,011,754	27.7
Coconino	1,185,014	2.2	10,229,374	1.9
Gila	403,220	0.7	3,522,121	16.8
Graham	253,120	0.5	2,102,655	18.2
Greenlee	300,000	0.5	2,258,073	36.7
La Paz	178,033	0.3	1,341,998	15.2
Maricopa	35,403,927	64.5	295,363,442	16.3
Mohave	1,575,016	2.9	13,184,731	17.8
Navajo	800,636	1.5	7,140,119	14.6
Pima	8,035,932	14.6	66,909,961	14.3
Pinal	1,673,329	3.0	13,543,133	26.4
Santa Cruz	337,563	0.6	2,993,896	17.0
Yavapai	1,901,853	3.5	16,405,924	19.4
Yuma	1,480,627	2.7	11,855,057	14.7
Total	\$54,867,888		\$459,321,803	16.3

Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Returned to Cities/Towns

The portion of transaction privilege and severance tax returned to each incorporated city or town for February 2006 is shown on Table 3, attached to this report.

County Tax Collections

The following county-imposed tax collections were received by the Department of Revenue during February 2006 and returned to the counties. The rental car surcharge in Maricopa County is \$2.50 per car and in Pima County is \$3.50 per car. The RV Surcharge in Pima County is \$0.50/day on each lease or rental of a parking space for recreational vehicles.

								Hospital		
					Rental Car	Stadium	RV	Tax/Health	Capitol	Tourism
	Road Tax	Mar RDX	Excise Tax	Jail Tax Surcharg	Surcharge	Tax	Surcharge	Svcs Dist	Projects	Authority
Apache			87,012							
Cochise			526,458							
Coconino			739,100	443,199					184,673	
Gila	217,815		214,237							
Graham			129,260							
Greenlee			81,387							
La Paz			116,058	116,058				368		
Maricopa	924,950	27,660,242		10,642,562	560,299	(180)				2,117,486
Mohave			592,767							
Navajo			466,396							
Pima					118,516		36,196			
Pinal	1,377,923		1,343,931							
S Cruz			212,426							
Yavapai			1,222,713	611,132						
Yuma			1,005,043	1,005,045				196,420	1,003,944	

OTHER TAXES

Luxury Taxes

The following revenues were received from luxury taxes in February 2006. The table compares the receipts to February 2005 and also compares fiscal year (FY) totals. Figures may not add to total due to rounding.

		February 2006		% Change	
Spirituous	\$	3,155,033	\$	969,639	225.4
Vinous	\$	1,151,209	\$	647,407	77.8
Malt	\$	1,448,169	\$	1,257,398	15.2
Cigarette	\$	21,926,270	\$	22,712,285	(3.5)
Other Tobacco	\$	662,341	\$	703,842	(5.9)
Tobacco Licenses	\$	250	\$	300	(16.7)
Total	\$	28,343,272	\$	26,290,871	7.8

	 Fiscal Year (05/06)	Fi	scal Year (04/05)	% Change
Spirituous	\$ 17,266,148	\$	15,464,203	11.7
Vinous	\$ 7,595,290	\$	7,096,402	7.0
Malt	\$ 15,050,604	\$	14,728,228	2.2
Cigarette*	\$ 188,712,255	\$	181,348,666	4.1
Other Tobacco	\$ 6,059,676	\$	5,697,596	6.4
Tobacco Licenses	\$ 3,600	\$	2,475	45.5
Total	\$ 234,687,573	\$	224,337,570	4.6

^{*}Through February 2006, \$456,700 of cigarette and tobacco tax collections has been allocated for administrative expenses and is not included in the cigarette collections above.

General Fund revenues from luxury taxes:

	 February	FY05/06		
Spirituous	\$ 2,208,523	\$ 12,086,304		
Vinous	\$ 286,886	\$ 1,892,893		
Malt	\$ 362,042	\$ 3,762,650		
Cigarette	\$ 3,030,286	\$ 25,290,119		
Other Tobacco	\$ 49,676	\$ 761,784		
Tobacco Licenses	\$ 250	\$ 3,600		
Total	\$ 5.937.663	\$ 43.797.350		

Other dedicated revenues from luxury taxes:

	 February	FY05/06	
Correction Fund revenues	\$ 2,357,325	\$ 18,687,366	
Tobacco Tax & Health Care Fund ²	\$ 7,632,075	\$ 66,121,205	
Tobacco Products Tax Fund ³	\$ 11,448,113	\$ 98,670,300	
Wine Promotional Fund revenues	\$ 3,664	\$ 23,716	
Drug Treatment & Education Fund revenues	\$ 688,081	\$ 5,280,623	
Corrections Revolving Fund revenues	\$ 276,351	\$ 2,101,537	

Estate Tax

February-06 \$ February-05 \$ % change	136,394 2,423,895 (94.4)	Fiscal Year to Date Fiscal Year to Date % Change	\$ \$	11,027,067 24,811,382 (55.6)
<u>Bingo</u>				
February-06 \$ February-05 \$	41,004 46,953	Fiscal Year to Date Fiscal Year to Date	\$ \$	411,668 407,680
% change	(12.7)	% Change		1.0
<u>Unclaimed</u> <u>Property</u>				
February-06 \$	6,341,307	Fiscal Year to Date	\$	47,888,049
February-05 <u>\$</u> % change	21,432,805 (70.4)	Fiscal Year to Date % Change	\$	55,985,720 (14.5)

Please note that some totals throughout Tax Facts may not add due to rounding.

SOURCE: THE OFFICE OF ECONOMIC RESEARCH & ANALYSIS, ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF **REVENUE**

² Formerly the Health Care Fund

³ This Fund was created by Prop. 303, which increased cigarette & other tobacco products tax rates in November 2002.

TABLE 1
"New" Returns Filed in 2006 for Tax Year 2005
Through February 2006

	CHARACTERISTICS OF TAXPAYERS									
Federal Adjusted Gross Income Bracket	Number of Returns	% of Total	Average FAGI	Average Tax Due	% Married Joint	% Single	% Unmarried Head	% Married Separate	% Over 65	% With Dependents
Negative FAGI	169	0.2%	-\$14,450	\$0	20.0%	66.9%	10.9%	2.3%	16.6%	22.9%
\$0-\$5,000	13,006	18.6%	\$3,027	\$0	4.1%	72.9%	22.8%	0.2%	2.2%	36.5%
\$5,000-\$10,000	17,879	25.6%	\$7,426	\$18	5.8%	63.2%	30.6%	0.5%	2.7%	44.0%
\$10,000-\$15,000	11,450	16.4%	\$12,356	\$54	12.5%	38.3%	48.8%	0.4%	4.0%	63.8%
\$15,000-\$20,000	8,765	12.6%	\$17,397	\$111	19.6%	29.3%	50.5%	0.6%	4.4%	67.0%
\$20,000-\$25,000	5,812	8.3%	\$22,347	\$206	27.0%	27.4%	44.8%	0.9%	3.0%	68.8%
\$25,000-\$30,000	3,309	4.7%	\$27,374	\$341	30.1%	32.5%	36.6%	0.8%	3.2%	62.5%
\$30,000-\$40,000	3,859	5.5%	\$34,434	\$512	32.7%	34.2%	31.8%	1.3%	2.8%	58.7%
\$40,000-\$50,000	1,995	2.9%	\$44,418	\$732	43.7%	30.5%	24.8%	1.0%	3.5%	58.2%
\$50,000-\$75,000	2,322	3.3%	\$60,209	\$1,075	63.9%	21.1%	14.0%	1.0%	4.4%	60.3%
\$75,000-\$100,000	777	1.1%	\$85,078	\$1,707	79.6%	11.8%	8.5%	0.1%	4.6%	60.5%
\$100,000-\$200,000	375	0.5%	\$125,540	\$2,975	83.0%	10.1%	6.6%	0.3%	6.4%	58.8%
\$200,000-\$500,000	24	0.0%	\$263,075	\$8,444	79.2%	12.5%	8.3%	0.0%	20.8%	45.8%
\$500,000-\$1,000,000	2	0.0%	\$623,562	\$25,623	100.0%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	50.0%	0.0%
\$1,000,000 and over	0	0.0%	\$0	\$0	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total	69,744		\$16,721	\$185	14.6%	40.5%	29.9%	0.5%	3.3%	53.7%

^{*}An asterisked line indicates that the information cannot be released due to confidentiality laws.

NEW RETURNS	FILED IN 2005 FOR TAX	(YEAR 2004							
Total	258,482	\$22,021	\$390	17.0%	48.3%	16.1%	1.7%	7.5%	34.2%

[&]quot;NEW" Returns means that there was no return filed by the taxpayer in the previous filing year. This may or may not mean the filer is new to the state.

TABLE 2
Urban Revenue Sharing Returned to Cities/Towns
February 2006

City	Distribution	Population	City	Dietribution	
		i opulation	-	Distribution	Population
Apache County			Surprise	\$269,135	30,848
Eagar	\$23,469	4,033	Tempe	\$1,383,930	158,625
Springerville	\$30,955	3,548	Tolleson	\$43,396	4,974
St. Johns	\$17,205	1,972	Wickenburg	\$44,338	5,082
Cochise County			Youngtown	\$26,261	3,010
Benson	\$41,101	4,711	Mohave County		
Bisbee	\$53,132	6,090	Bullhead City	\$294,619	33,769
Douglas	\$144,156	16,523	Colorado City	\$29,088	3,334
Huachuca City	\$15,277	1,751	Kingman	\$175,093	20,069
Sierra Vista	\$329,569	37,775	Lake Havasu City	\$365,890	41,938
Tombstone	\$13,122	1,504	Navajo County		
Willcox	\$32,569	3,733	Holbrook	\$42,899	4,917
Coconino County	. ,	•	Pinetop-Lakeside	\$31,251	3,582
Flagstaff	\$461,476	52,894	Show Low	\$67,135	7,695
Fredonia	\$9,039	1,036	Snowflake	\$38,911	4,460
Page	\$59,405	6,809	Taylor	\$27,709	3,176
Williams	\$24,795	2,842	Winslow	\$83,058	9,520
Gila County	Ψ= :,: σσ	_,0	Pima County	400,000	0,020
Globe	\$65,312	7,486	Marana	\$118,270	13,556
Hayden	\$7,782	892	Oro Valley	\$278,609	31,934
Miami	\$16,891	1,936	Sahuarita	\$28,285	3,242
Payson	\$118,828	13,620	South Tucson	\$47,898	5,490
Winkelman	\$3,865	443	Tucson	\$4,246,224	486,699
Graham County	ψ0,000	440	Pinal County	ψτ,2τ0,22τ	+00,000
Pima	\$17,353	1,989	Apache Junction	\$277,562	31,814
Safford	\$80,545	9,232	Casa Grande	\$220,068	25,224
Thatcher	\$35,090	4,022	Coolidge	\$67,929	7,786
Greenlee County	ψ35,090	4,022	Eloy	\$90,517	10,375
Clifton	\$22,649	2,596	Florence	\$150,132	17,208
Duncan	\$7,084	2,390 812	Kearny	\$19,621	2,249
La Paz County	φ1,00 4	012	Mammoth	\$15,373	1,762
Parker	\$27,395	3,140	Maricopa	\$43,605	4,998
Quartzsite	\$27,393 \$29,262	3,354	Superior	\$28,390	3,254
Maricopa County	φ 29,202	3,354		φ20,390	3,254
	¢242.062	25 002	Santa Cruz County	¢400.4E4	20.070
Avondale	\$313,063	35,883	Nogales	\$182,151	20,878
Buckeye Carefree	\$74,132 \$25,537	8,497	Patagonia	\$7,686	881
	\$25,537	2,927	Yavapai County	COO 456	0.454
Cave Creek	\$32,525	3,728	Camp Verde	\$82,456	9,451
Chandler	\$1,543,711	176,939	Chino Valley	\$71,253 \$20,855	8,167
El Mirage	\$66,385	7,609	Clarkdale	\$29,855	3,422
Fountain Hills	\$176,541 \$47,075	20,235		\$80,083	9,179
Gila Bend	\$17,275	1,980	Dewey-Humboldt	\$29,908	3,428
Gilbert	\$957,056	109,697	Jerome	\$2,870	329
Glendale	\$1,909,034	218,812	Prescott	\$296,093	33,938
Goodyear	\$164,990	18,911	Prescott Valley	\$205,332	23,535
Guadalupe	\$45,612	5,228	Sedona	\$88,920	10,192
Litchfield Park	\$33,240	3,810	Yuma County	0.100.0=	4= 00=
Mesa	\$3,470,412	397,776	San Luis	\$133,677	15,322
Paradise Valley	\$119,212	13,664	Somerton	\$63,392	7,266
Peoria	\$945,426	108,364	Wellton	\$15,957	1,829
Phoenix	\$11,525,508	1,321,045	Yuma	\$677,766	77,685
Queen Creek	\$37,655	4,316		 	
Scottsdale	\$1,768,508	202,705	TOTAL	\$35,435,744	4,062,961

TABLE 3
Transaction Privilege and Severance Tax Returned to Cities/Towns
February 2006

Apache County	Distribution	Population	City	Distribution	Population
			Surprise	\$257,087	30,848
Eagar	\$33,611	4,033	Tempe	\$1,321,980	158,625
Springerville	\$16,435	1,972	Tolleson	\$41,453	4,974
St. Johns	\$29,569	3,548	Wickenburg	\$42,353	5,082
Cochise County			Youngtown	\$25,085	3,010
Benson	\$39,261	4,711	Mohave County	. ,	·
Bisbee	\$50,754	6,090	Bullhead City	\$281,431	33,769
Douglas	\$137,703	16,523	Colorado City	\$27,786	3,334
Huachuca City	\$14,593	1,751	Kingman	\$167,255	20,069
Sierra Vista	\$314,817	37,775	Lake Havasu City	\$349,511	41,938
Tombstone	\$12,534	1,504	Navajo County	40.0,0	,
Willcox	\$31,111	3,733	Holbrook	\$40,978	4,917
Coconino County	ΨΟΙ,ΙΙΙ	0,7.00	Pinetop/Lakeside	\$29,852	3,582
Flagstaff	\$440,818	52,894	Show Low	\$64,130	7,695
Fredonia	\$8,634	1,036	Snowflake	\$37,170	4,460
Page	\$56,746	6,809	Taylor	\$26,469	3,176
Williams	\$23,685	2,842	Winslow	\$79,340	9,520
Gila County	Ψ25,005	2,042	Pima County	ψ <i>1</i> 9,540	9,320
Globe	\$62,388	7 496	Marana	\$112,976	13,556
Hayden		7,486 892	Oro Valley	\$266,138	
	\$7,434 \$16,435				31,934
Miami	\$16,135	1,936	Sahuarita	\$27,019	3,242
Payson	\$113,509	13,620	South Tucson	\$45,754	5,490
Winkelman	\$3,692	443	Tucson	\$4,056,148	486,699
Graham County	040.570	4 000	Pinal County	# 005 400	04.044
Pima	\$16,576	1,989	Apache Junction	\$265,138	31,814
Safford	\$76,939	9,232	Casa Grande	\$210,217	25,224
Thatcher	\$33,519	4,022	Coolidge	\$64,888	7,786
Greenlee County			Eloy	\$86,465	10,375
Clifton	\$21,635	2,596	Florence	\$143,411	17,208
Duncan	\$6,767	812	Kearny	\$18,743	2,249
La Paz County			Mammoth	\$14,685	1,762
Parker	\$26,169	3,140	Maricopa	\$41,653	4,998
Quartzsite	\$27,952	3,354	Superior	\$27,119	3,254
Maricopa County			Santa Cruz County		
Avondale	\$299,049	35,883	Nogales	\$173,997	20,878
Buckeye	\$70,814	8,497	Patagonia	\$7,342	881
Carefree	\$24,394	2,927	Yavapai County		
Cave Creek	\$31,069	3,728	Camp Verde	\$78,765	9,451
Chandler	\$1,474,609	176,939	Chino Valley	\$68,064	8,167
El Mirage	\$63,413	7,609	Clarkdale	\$28,519	3,422
Fountain Hills	\$168,638	20,235	Cottonwood	\$76,498	9,179
Gila Bend	\$16,501	1,980	Dewey-Humboldt	\$28,569	3,428
Gilbert	\$914,215	109,697	Jerome	\$2,742	329
Glendale	\$1,823,579	218,812	Prescott	\$282,839	33,938
Goodyear	\$157,604	18,911	Prescott Valley	\$196,141	23,535
Guadalupe	\$43,570	5,228	Sedona	\$84,940	10,192
Litchfield Park	\$31,753	3,810	Yuma County		
Mesa	\$3,315,064	397,776	San Luis	\$127,694	15,322
Paradise Valley	\$113,876	13,664	Somerton	\$60,555	7,266
Peoria	\$903,105	108,364	Wellton	\$15,243	1,829
Phoenix	\$11,009,585	1,321,045	Yuma	\$647,427	77,685
Queen Creek	\$35,970	4,316		÷ = ··· , ·-=•	.,
Scottsdale	\$1,689,343	202,705	TOTAL	\$33,860,706	4,062,961